LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740

CERTIFIED MOTION # 040614-05

Request for Funding from the U.S. Department of Labor,
Employment and Training Administration,
Indian and Native American Employment and Training Program
Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Vocational and Occupational Competitive Skills Program

- WHEREAS the Waganakising Odawak, known in English as Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians is a nation of citizens with inherent sovereignty and right to self-governance and;
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB") is a federally recognized Indian Tribe under Public Law 103-324, and is a party to numerous Treaties with the United States the most recent of which being the Treaty of Washington of March 28, 1836 (7 Stat. 491) and the Treaty of Detroit of 1855 (11 Stat. 621);
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected legislative body of the Tribe;
- **WHEREAS** the Tribe operates programs and provides services that benefit the Tribal citizens and the Tribal community;
- WHEREAS the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Education Department is committed to its mission to promote the healing, sovereignty and well-being of the LTBB Odawa by providing comprehensive, exceptional, formal and informal learning opportunities for tribal and non-tribal youth, adults and elders that empower our families, preserve the knowledge of our elders and prepare and position all learners we encounter to create a more just and equitable world for all people;
- WHEREAS the Tribe encourages creation of employment and/or training to Tribal Citizens and community members to increase employment opportunities for Tribal Citizens and community members;
- WHEREAS the U.S Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration has announced the availability of grant funding for the Indian and Native American Employment and Training Program to support employment and training activities for Indian, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian individuals.

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THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this grant application to the U.S. Department of Labor, Employment and Training Administration, Indian and Native American Employment and Training Program for funding for a 24-month Vocational and Occupational Competitive Skills program.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LTBB Tribal Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Tribal Administrator, or another designee from the Tribal Chairperson is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

Received by the Executive Office on _	3-28-14 by	Joseph Jagar

The Executive concurs and recommend this action of the Tribal Council.

Date: 3-28-14

Executive, Tribal Chair/Vice Chair

Received by the Legislative Office on 3.28.14 by by

As Tribal Council Legislative Leader and Tribal Council Secretary, we certify that this Certified Motion was duly approved by the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians at a regular meeting of the Tribal Council held April 06, 2014 at which a quorum was present, by a vote of 8 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstentions, 1 absent as recorded by this certification as an official action on behalf of Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians.

Date: 4-6-14

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Regina Gasco Bentley, Legislative Leader

Julie Shananaquet, Secretary